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1. GIVEN FACT THAT MOST NATO COUNTRIES HAVE NOW ESTABLISHED RELATIONS WITH GDR (EXCEPTIONS ARE CANADA, US, TURKEY, PORTUGAL AND FRG), NATO POSITION (REF B) ON TREATMENT OF GDR AMBASSADOR AS DEAN OF DIPLOMATIC CORPS CAN PROBABLY NO LONGER BE IMPLEMENTED.

2. POINTS FROM GUIDELINES WHICH WE WOULD STILL CONSIDER APPLICABLE FOR US AMBASSADOR IN DEALING WITH GDR DEAN ARE AS FOLLOWS: "COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DOYEN (CIRCULAR NOTES, REQUESTS FOR CONTRIBUTIONS FOR PRESENTS, THIRD PERSON NOTES, ETC.) WILL BE REPLIED TO BY MEMBERS COUNTRIES' AMBASSADORS IN COMMUNICATIONS SENT TO THE CONFIDENTIAL

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EAST GERMAN DOYEN'S ADDRESS WITHOUT REFERENCE TO HIS

QUALITY AS AMBASSADOR.....CONTACTS WITH THE DOYEN
SHOULD BE LIMITED TO WHAT WAS TECHNICALLY THE ABSOLUTE
MINIMUM. EVERY OPPORTUNITY SHOULD BE TAKEN TO KEEP
THESE CONTACTS ON AS INFORMAL A LEVEL AS POSSIBLE..."

3. US HAS ALWAYS MAINTAINED THAT DEAN EXERCISES HIS
FUNCTIONS ON BEHALF OF HOST GOVERNMENT, INDEPENDENT
FROM DEAN'S NORMAL AMBASSADORIAL RESPONSIBILITIES. US MAY

THUS BE REPRESENTED AT FUNCTIONS ONLY WHICH GDR AMBASSADOR
HOSTS IN HIS CAPACITY AS DEAN (FAREWELLS, ETC.).

4. GUIDANCE CONTAINED STATE 20006 OF FEBRUARY 2, 1973 IS
STILL VALID FOR BILATERAL US-GDR CONTACTS.

5. IF LOCAL SITUATION APPEARS TO REQUIRE MODIFICATION OF
ABOVE, POST SHOULD SUBMIT RECOMMENDATIONS TO DEPARTMENT.
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